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Attention: **BOX PATENT APPLICATION**

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Submitted herewith is a patent application for:

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Title: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR NATURAL  
LANGUAGE PROCESSING

**This is not a Provisional Application.**

The application includes:

- Specification ( **75 pages**), including claims (1-38) and an Abstract (1 page)
- Formal drawings (35 sheets, Figs. 1-54)
- Inventor Declaration and Power of Attorney
- Assignment with Cover Sheet
- Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO-1449 (with 1 reference)
- Priority Documents: JP-2000-225911 of July 26, 2000  
JP-2000-227096 of July 27, 2000

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Basic Fee \$355/710	\$710.00
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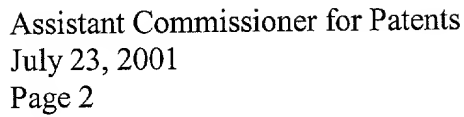
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Variable	Mean	SD	Min	Max
Age	35.2	12.5	18	65
Gender	Male	100%		
Marital Status	Married	100%		
Education	High School	100%		
Occupation	Teacher	100%		
Income	\$15,000	\$5,000	\$10,000	\$20,000
Health Status	Good	100%		
Smoking Status	Non-smoker	100%		
Alcohol Consumption	None	100%		
Exercise Frequency	Weekly	100%		
Stress Level	Low	100%		
Sleep Quality	Good	100%		
Dietary Habits	Healthy	100%		
Family Size	2	1	1	3
Religious Beliefs	Christian	100%		
Political Views	Conservative	100%		
Travel Frequency	Monthly	100%		
Pet Ownership	Yes	100%		
Volunteering	Yes	100%		
Charitable Donations	Yes	100%		
Community Involvement	Yes	100%		
Life Satisfaction	High	100%		
Overall Well-being	Excellent	100%		